

(c) the action proposed to persuade Andhra Pradesh Government to set up a Hill University for the benefit of tribal students of Paderru region in Andhra Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) The Ministry has no such information.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Fund for Kanpur Barrage

†3072. SHRI MANOHAR KANT DHYANI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 424 given in the Rajya Sabha on 28th February, 2000 and state;

(a) the quantum of amount to be provided by Government for the purpose during the financial year 2000-2001; and

(b) by when the said scheme will be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA): (a) the Government of India has made a budget provision of Rs. 59.99 crores during 2000-2001, out of which 10.00 crores have been released on 26.4.2000.

(b) As per the information given by the Government of Uttar Pradesh, the scheme is expected to be completed by March, 2000.

Backlog in promotion quota for the post of LDC in DDA

3073. SHRI H.K. JAVARE GOWDA:

SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Delhi Development Authority is following the promotion quota of 15 per cent for the post of Class III (L.D.C.) from amongst Class IV employees;

(b) whether there is any backlog in that quota and employees have been empanelled therefor; and

(c) by when Government would fill up the backlog in the promotion quota?

†Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) DDA has reported that at present there is backlog of 24 under 15% promotion quota for the post of LDC. A limited competitive examination was held in 1989 and a panel of 251 candidates was prepared. At that time there were 35 posts of LDC lying vacant which were filled up from the candidates in the panel. As there was no further vacancy against this quota, this panel has been cancelled in October, 1992.

(c) A circular has been issued by DDA on 5.7.2000 inviting applications under '15% promotion quota' and the last date for submission of applications was 10.8.2000. The applications received in response to this circular are under scrutiny. Meanwhile, some class IV employees, who had qualified for the examination in 1989 but could not be appointed/promoted due to non-availability of vacancies of LDC at that time, have gone to the Court against circular dated 5.7.2000 and the matter is sub-judice.

Vacant LDC posts in DDA

3074. **SHRI H.K. JAVARE GOWDA:**

SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of posts of L.D.C. lying vacant in Delhi Development Authority, till date;

(b) whether it is a fact that departmental examination for the post of Lower Division Clerk against 15 per cent quota was held on 21st January, 1989;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether it is also a fact that those who had qualified in the said examination have not been promoted so far; and

(e) if so, what are their names and by when Government propose to promote all the qualified candidates?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA): (a) DDA has reported that 173 posts of LDC are at present lying vacant.